

## COVERED SERVICES

The Maine Breast and Cervical Health Program (MBCHP) provide breast and cervical health screenings for women who qualify.

The MBCHP pays for the following services:

- Yearly screening exam, which includes Breast Exam and Pelvic Exam
- Yearly Screening Mammogram
- Follow up exams to diagnose possible breast or cervical cancer
- Pap Tests\*

\*Note: Annually using Conventional Pap test.

Every two years (biennially) using liquid-based cytology.

After three (3) consecutive, technically satisfactory normal or negative cytology results, women should be screened every three years (triennially)

If needed, the following diagnostic services are also covered:

- Diagnostic Mammograms
- Fine Needle Aspiration of a Breast Cyst
- Breast Ultrasound after a Mammogram
- Cervical colposcopy (magnified view of the cervix), with or without biopsy
- Pathology charges for Breast and Cervical Biopsies
- Anesthesia for Breast Biopsies (physician charges only)
- Surgical Consults for possible Breast or Cervical Cancer
- Breast Biopsy: doctor's charges are covered; hospital\*\* charges are not covered

\*\* Ask MBCHP staff if your hospital has agreed to provide free breast biopsies to MBCHP women

MBCHP does not cover services such as: urine test, blood test, stool test, bone density test, transvaginal ultrasound, pelvic ultrasound, chest x-ray, MRI, colonoscopy, endometrial biopsy, electrocardiogram or any prescription drugs including birth control or hormones.

The MBCHP has Nurse Case Managers for women to call. They can help you with the following:

- Referrals to doctors
- Information on breast and cervical health issues
- Getting to follow-up appointments
- Finding help to pay medical bills not covered by MBCHP

MBCHP pays for only the services listed above, and will pay for services every year as long as you qualify. If your doctor wants you to have other tests, or if you have to go to the hospital, you should talk to your doctor about how you will pay the medical bills. If you have other insurance, they must be billed before MBCHP can be billed.

***Please call MBCHP with questions: it is easier to get help before you start receiving services.***

If you have questions please call us at 1-800-350-5180, or  
TTY: 1-800-438-5514 for Deaf/Hard of Hearing